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Application No.: 10/655,828 ) Group Art Unit: 3624  
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VALUE CARD DATA )

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Enclosed is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in response to the Official Action mailed October 11, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.
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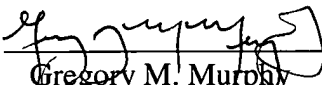
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 11, 2005 OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action dated October 11, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the amendments and remarks herein as follows:

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